GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
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FILM FESTIVALS
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the Film Festivals of foreign countries held in India during the last three years;

(b) the film festivals in which India participated in other countries during the last three years; and

(c) the funds spent on each film festival organized by Government during the last three years?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SMT. SUSHMA SWARAJ)

(a) The yearwise details of Film Festivals of foreign countries arranged in India bythe Directorate of Film Festivals during the last three years are given in Annexure-I.

(b) The details of Film Festivals in which the Directorate of Film Festivalsparticipated in other countries during the last three years are given in Annexure-II.

(c) The yearwise details of expenditure incurred by the Directorate of Film Festivalson organizing International Film Festival of India, National Film Festivals, participation in Foreign Film Festivals and festivals organized under CulturalExchange Programme are given in Annexure-III.

Annexure-I

Annexure referred to in part (a) of the answer to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.921 for 24.11.2000

Details of film festivals of foreign countries held in India during the last three years

1997-1998

1. Turkmenistan
2. Thailand
3. South Korea

1998-1999

1. Belgium
2. Sri Lanka
3. DPR Korea
4. Uzbekistan
5. Romania
6. European Union Film Festival

1999-2000

1. Finland
2. Sweden
3. Cyprus
4. Italy
5. Netherlands
6. China

7. Australia

Annexure-II

Annexure referred to in part (b) of the answer to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.921 for 24.11.2000

The details of film festivals in other countries in which Directorate of Film Festivals participated during the last three years

1997-98

S.No. Name of the festival

1. Singapore International Film Festival

2. New Directors/New Films Festival, USA

3. Media Wave International Film Festival, Hungary

4. San Francisco Film Festival

5. Munich International Documentary Film Festival, Germany
6. 4th Women Make Waves Film and Video Festival, Taiwan

7 Augsburg Film Festival, Germany

8. Roshd International Film Festival, Iran

9. Soureh International Film Festival, Tehran, Iran
10. Cannes International Film Festival
11. Commonwealth Film Festival, Greece
12. Zami Manifestation Festival, Sydney, Australia
13. Minsk Women`s International Film Festival, Minsk
14. 19th Annual Mountain Film Festival, Telluride, USA
15. Tashkent Film Festival
16. Cinefest`97, Qatar
17. Troia Internationl Film Festival, Italy
18. Munich International Film Festival, Germany
19. Pisaro Film Festival, Italy
20. 27th Roshd International Film Festival, Iran
21. Environmental International Film Festival, Pretoria
22. 11th Fukuoka Asian Film Festival
23. Moscow International Film Festival
24. Film & Video 97 Film Festival, Italy
25. UCLA Film Festival, USA
26. Montreal Film Festival, Canada
27. Vevey International Film Festival, Switzerland
28. Venice International Film Festival
29. 6th Brisbane International Film Festival, Australia
30. Karlovy Vary Film Festival, Prague
31. Napoli International Film Festival, Italy
32. 2nd Aichi International Film Festival, Japan
33. Films South Asia Kathmandu, Nepal
34. Focus on Asia-Fukuoka International Film Festival, Japan
35. Vancouver International Film Festival, Canada
36. Films from South, Denmark
37. Alexandria Film Festival, Cairo
38. Festival International de Cinema, Portugal
39. Australian International Film Festival, Australia
40. 5th International Film Festival of First Feature Film, Bratislava
41. International Women Film Festival, Jakarta
42. Shanghai International Film Festival, China
43. Pusan International Film Festival, Korea
44. Bite the Mango Film Festival, U.K.
45. Beirut International Film Festival, Beirut
46. Yamagata Documentary International Film Festival, Japan
47. Damascus International Film Festival, Damascus
48. London International Film Festivals, U.K
49. Hawaii International Film Festival, USA
50. 13th Mar Mar del Plata International Film Festival, Argentina
51. Festival 3 Continents, France
52. Womens` Film Week, Tokyo, Japan
53. 4th Hanoi International Film Festival, Hanoi
54. Cairo International Film Festival, Cairo

55. 5th Dhaka International Film Festival, Bangladesh
56. Quezon International Film Festival, Manila Philippines
57. First International Arts and Crafts, Film Festival, Namur, Belgium
58. Rotterdam International Film Festival, Netherlands
59. 21st Goteborg International Film Festival, Swedan
60. 16th Fair International Film Festival, Tehran, Iran
61. UCLA International Film Festival, California, USA
62. Berlin International Film Festival, Germany
63. 12th International Film Festival of Fribourg, Switzerland
64. 14th International Film Festival of Uruguay
65. 9th International Women Film Festival, Manila

Participation of Indian films abroad during 1998-99

S.No. Name of the festival

1. Hong Kong International Film Festival

2. Singapore International Film Festival

3. Istanbul International Film Festival

4. XVI Festival Cinematografico International del Uruguay

5. International Film Festival of Kerala
6. Chalchitra Film Festival

7 Dhaka International Film Festival

8. Cinefest`98, Doha, Qatar

9. 41st Sanfrancisco International Film Festival
10. Cannes International Film Festival
11. Napoli International Film Festival, Naples, Italy
12. Batlk International Film Festival, Perugia, Italy
13. Munich International Film Festival
14. Commonwealth International Film Festival, Athens
15. 5th Roosta International Film Festival, Tehran
16. 33rd Karlovy Vary International Film Festival, Czech Republic
17. 7th Brisbane International Film Festival, Australia
18. 7th International Student Film Festival, Tel Aviv, Israel
19. Helsinki International Film Festival, Finland
20. Montreal International Film Festival, Canada
21. 7th International Animation Festival in Japan, Hiroshima
22. Bangkok International Film Festival
23. Alexandria International Film Festival, Cairo
24. Australian Film Festival, Canberra
25. Fukuoka International Film Festival, Japan
26. Bite the Mango International Film Festival, U.K
27. Ottawa International Film Festival, Canada
28. Pyongyang International Film Festival, North Korea
29. Vancouver International Film Festival, Canada
30. Commonwealth International Film Festival, Kuala Lumpur
31. 1st International Film Festival of Zimbabwe
32. Pusan International Film Festival
33. 27th International Film Festival of Figurira Da Foz, Portugal
34. 2nd Beirut International Film Festival, Lebanon
35. 17th Cinematographic Day of Carthage, Tunis
36. First Asian Art Film Festival
37. 5th Hanoi International Film Festival, Hanoi, Vietnam
38. London International Film Festival
39. Hawaii International Film Festival
40. Lauderdale International Film Festival, USA
41. 50th Human Rights International Film Festival, Brussels, Belgium
42. Birmingham International Film and Television Festival, U.K.
43. Nantes International Film Festival, France
44. Thessoloniki International Film Festival, Greece
45. First Asian Film Festival, Seoul
46. 43rd Asia Pacific International Film Festival, Taiwan

47. 3rd Youth Film Festival, Warsaw
48. Edinburgh Film Festival
49. Glasgow Film Festival, U.K.
50. Nortel Palm Springs International Film Festival, California
51. Golden Jubilee International Film Festival, Philadelphia
52. Festival of Indian films-Cardiff
53. Films from India at Manchester
54. Fajr International Film Festival, Iran
55. Dhaka International Film Festival
56. Berlin International Film Festival
57. 10th Annual International Women`s Film Festival, Manila
58. Friburg International Film Festival, Switzerland
59. Asian International Film Festival in Thailand (Bangkok)
60. 18th du Ethnographique Internatioal Film Festival at Musee De L`Homme in Paris

For the year 1999-2000

S.No. Name of the festival

1. California Short Film Festival, USA

2. Helsinki International Film Festival

3. Hongkong International Film Festival

4. Singapore Internatioal Film Festival

5. Women in Indian Cinema Festival, Smithsonlan, USA
6. San Francisco International Film Festival

7 San Diego International Film Festival

8. Cannes International Film Festival

9. Munich International Documentary Film Festival, Germany
10. Cleveland Cinematheque Film Festival
11. Cinefest 99, Qatar
12. Senttimana International Film Festival, Verona, Italy
13. Benodet International Film Festival, France
14. Festivals of Festivals, St Petersburg, Russia
15. Environ `99 International Film Festival, Slovak
16. Cinemanila International Film Festival
17. Moscow International Film Festival
18. 50th Film and Video Film Festival, Italy
19. Karlovy Vary International Film Festival, Prague
20. Montreal International Film Festival, Canada
21. 10th Espoo International Film Festival, Finland
22. Edinburg International Film Festival
23. Alexandria Film Festival, Cairo
24. Films from South Film Festival, Copenhagen, Denmark
25. Filmotecta Film Festival, Madrid, Spain
26. Bangkok Internatioal Film Festival
27. Vancover International Film Festival
28. 4th International Short Film Festival, Iran
29. Zimbabwe International Film Festival
30. Fukuoka International Film Festival, Japan
31. Danish Film Festival, Denmark
32. SAARC Film Festival, Srilanka
33. Yamagata Short Film Festival, Japan
34. Pusan International Film Festival, Korea
35. Shanghai International Film Festival, China
36. Festival of Iranian Young Cinema, Iran
37. Chicago International Film Festival, USA
38. ECO Film Festival, France
39. Namaste Film Festival, Tokyo
40. NY University International Students Film Festival, USA
41. South Asia `99 Film Festival, Nepal
42. First South African International Film Festival, Johannesburg
43. Nantes International Film Festival, France
44. Hanoi International Film Festival, Vietnam

45. London International Film Festival, UK
46. Cairo International Film Festival, Cairo
47. Damascus International Film Festival, Syria
48. Birmingham International Film Festival, UK
49. Roshd International Film & Video Festival, Iran
50. 5th Annual Women in Cinema Festival, Seattle, USA
51. Calcutta International Film Festival
52. 44th Asian Pacific Film Festival, Bangkok
53. 16th Agro International Film Festival, Prague
54. Second International Meeting of Cinema and History, Istanbul
55. 6th Dhaka International Film Festival, Bangladesh
56. Festival of film makers, Milan, Italy
57. Berlin International Film Festival
58. Fajr International Film Festival
59. 31st Hungarian Film Festival, Hungary
60. Houston-Pan Cultural Film Festival, USA
61. Tongues on Fire 2000 Festival, London
62. Tampere Short Film Festival, Finland
63. Ethnographic Panorama Film Festival, Paris
64. Panaisa Film Festival, Paris
65. National Film & Theatre Festival, London
66. Fribourg International Film Festival, Switzerland

Annexure-III

Annexure referred to in part Â© of the answer to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.921 for 24.11.2000

Details of expenditure incurred by Directorate of Film Festivals (DFF) during the last three years ?

(Figures in Rupees Lakhs)

Year	International Film Festival of India	National Film Festival	Participation in foreign Festivals	Film Festivals under Cultural Exchange Programme
1997-1998	89.19	44.94	3.48	3.35
1998-1999	115.00	64.00	1.36	1.67
1999-2000	136.61	67.16	2.33	5.05